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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

n re Application of

Hiroyuki Kunishima, et al.

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For:

SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE INCLUDING DISSIMILAR ELEMENT-DIFFUSED

METAL LAYER AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF (as amended)

Honorable Commissioner of Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 14, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

A Complete Listing of the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper. The claims have not been amended. No new matter has been added.

Amendments to the Title begin on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.